## IN THE UNDED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK FICE Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

In re Patent Application of

**KOHNO** 

Serial No. 09/421,086

Filed: October 19, 1999

Title: FLUID FLOW AMOUNT MEASURING

APPARATUS RESPONSIVE TO FLUID FLOW IN FORWARD AND REVERSE

**DIRECTIONS** 

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231



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Examiner: C. Dickens

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated

April 2, 2002 of the Examiner twice/finally

rejecting claims 1-48 (\$ 320.00 ) \$ 320.00

An appeal **BRIEF** is attached in triplicate in the pending appeal of the above-identified application (\$ 320.00)

An <u>ORAL HEARING</u> is requested under Rule 194 (\$280.00) (due within two months after Examiner's Answer)

Credit for fees paid in prior appeal without decision on merits

The American Section will be a section of the American Section 1997

A reply brief is attached in triplicate under Rule 193(b)

Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$400.00/2 months; \$920.00/3 months; \$1440.00/4 months)

Applicant claims "Small entity" status, enter ½ of subtotal and subtract Small entity" statement attached.

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Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any <u>deficiency</u>, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our **Account No. 14-1140.** A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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